GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Assistance of Foreign Universities for preparing Syllabus
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry has sought assistance of foreign universities for preparing the syllabus of Indian colleges and universities;
(b) the manner and extent to which the international universities can imbibe the Indian conditions and prepare syllabus for our needs, the details thereof; and
(c) the details of curriculum proposed to be amended during the current financial year under this programme?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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(a) to (c): The Government has announced on 3rd June, 2016 that the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) of Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) will provide support for engagement of academics from leading foreign Universities with State Universities for curriculum and pedagogical reforms.
The engagement of State Universities in these reforms will be on a voluntary basis. The initiative is in a preparatory phase.
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